

# THE WRANGELL SENTINEL

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## News by Cable Today From All Over the World

NEW YORK—Bread raised two cents a loaf.

WASHINGTON—The President took the first automobile ride since he became ill.

LONDON—The British bond loan has been a failure. The Daily Mail announces that only one third of the cash required has been subscribed.

OLYMPIA—Governor Hart has called a special session of the legislature to convene March 22 to provide funds for the educational institutions of the State and to consider Federal Woman's suffrage amendments.

WASHINGTON—The leaders of both parties in the House have determined to oppose any soldier aid legislation at this session of congress, despite the demands by organizations of service men for bonuses, vocational education, farm and home loans.

CHICAGO—The authorities have seized papers purporting to contain the names of every I. W. W. in the United States.

PARIS—The general strike of the French railroad men has collapsed.

LONDON—A Toulon dispatch says that the French torpedo squadron has been ordered to Constantinople following the arrival of the British fleet in the Dardanelles. French troops and Turkish rebels had previously clashed.

BERLIN—One hundred and twenty vessels including eight battleships and a number of cruisers will be handed over to the Entente this week by the German government under the terms of the treaty of Versailles, according to announcement made at a meeting of the Association of German Fishermen at Hamburg. It is reported that these vessels will be manned by officers of the German mercantile marine.

NEW YORK—The National League Baseball club departed today on a special train for San Antonio, Texas, for spring training.

CHRISTIANA—Refugees report that the Bolsheviks started to massacre the non Bolshevik population at Archangel.

WASHINGTON—The railroads were returned to the owners on March 1.

FIUME—The siege of Fiume began with a blockade against commodities and foodstuffs.

WASHINGTON—The President has asked the railway executives and employees to join in selecting representatives for a bipartisan board "for the purpose of attempting by conference to agree upon a solution of the railway wage problem."

Ensign and Mrs. W. J. Caruthers, district officers of the Salvation Army, will leave this afternoon on a two weeks' trip to Juneau and Douglas.

The city of Ketchikan spent only \$60 last year for the relief of indigents.

Dr. C. C. Georgeson, head of the agricultural work in Alaska states that the crying need of the Territory is more families.

## Bureau of Fisheries And Other Bureaus May Be Eliminated From Alaska Soon

WASHINGTON—The elimination of the Bureaus of Forestry, Fisheries, Education and Biological Survey from all their present activities in Alaska, and the transfer of all the administration of all Alaskan lands, mineral as well as agricultural, from the jurisdiction of the General Land Offices to the administration of an Alaskan Development Board resident in Alaska, are proposed in a bill which Hon. Charles F. Curry of California has introduced in the House. Representative Curry is chairman of the Committee on Territories.

## BLIZZARD IN MIDDLE WESTERN STATES

CHICAGO—The worst blizzard of the winter today swept the Middle Western States accompanied by heavy snow and sub zero temperature.

## Fifteen Full Days of Continuous Sunshine In Wrangell Region

Today is the fifteenth day of continuous sunshine in Wrangell. Southern California could not possibly boast of any better record for the past two weeks.

## Americans Meet Monday Night

The Americans will meet Monday night in the Redmen's lodge room. As previously announced the principal number on the program will be a discussion of "Cooperation in Industry." The discussion will be open to all. In connection with this subject Mr. Bronson will read an article entitled: "Confessions of a Capitalist."

Other numbers on the program are:  
Recitation—Flora Wyatt.  
Declamation—Joel Wing.  
Song—(a) The March Wind's Secret. (b) Springtime, by the Intermediate and Primary pupils.

## Picture of Master Peter McCormack Is Published In the Tacoma Ledger

Mrs. L. C. Patenaude was perusing a copy of the Tacoma Ledger a few days ago when the cut of a familiar face caught her eye. She glanced at the name beneath the picture and found it was that of "Master P. C. McCormack, Jr., of Wrangell, Alaska, who is in Tacoma for medical treatment."

P. C. McCormack, Sr., has had his name in the newspapers a number of times lately, but little Peter has gone his illustrious father one better in the matter of getting into the limelight. The little man's picture in the big daily is an excellent one and would be instantly recognized by any one who ever saw him.

## Firemen Cleared \$77.30

At the monthly meeting of the Firemen last Monday night the social committee reported that \$77.30 was cleared on the annual dance which the Firemen gave on the eve of Washington's birthday. The proceeds will be used toward fitting up the fire station.

## Caldwell Elected Mayor of Seattle

Hundred Per Cent American  
Candidate Is Elected by  
Big Majority

SEATTLE—Seattle voted sterling Americanism by electing Caldwell mayor by 17,761 majority. Caldwell received 51,198 votes; Duncan 33,437.

Philip Tindall, a returned soldier, led the councilman's ticket for the three year term. Drake was re-elected for the two year term.

Carroll, a returned soldier, was elected for the one year term.

Lane's defeat for re-election to the council is ascribed to his attendance at the Hulet Wells banquet given on the eve of the latter's departure for the penitentiary.

SEATTLE—Caldwell said: "Pleased as I am personally, I am more gratified on account of the City of Seattle. The people of the city have told the world that Seattle is 100 per cent American."

SEATTLE—Duncan congratulated Caldwell.

## NO SNOW FELL IN WRANGELL IN FEBRUARY

Following is a summary of the February weather report made up from the daily records of E. F. Grigwire, U. S. Weather Observer at Wrangell:

### TEMPERATURE

Mean maximum	41
Mean minimum	30
Mean	35
Maximum	47
Minimum	12

### PRECIPITATION

Total	7.08
Greatest in 24 hours	1.38
Total snowfall	0

Number of clear days	13
Partly cloudy	1
Cloudy	15

## MANY EYES TURNED TOWARD THE CASSIAR

## Transportation Business on Stikine Will Be Good the Coming Season

J. G. Grant, Wrangell's popular hotel man, states that he has received not less than 50 letters since the first of January from people who want to know when navigation will open on the Stikine.

### Ex-Service Men Interested

When George Adams, the well known mining man, was seen aboard the Princess Mary a few days ago he stated to the Sentinel reporter that many returned soldiers in Victoria and Vancouver are planning to go into the Cassiar as soon as navigation opens on the Stikine. Mr. Adams stated that the Canadian government has adopted a plan whereby returned Canadian soldiers who wish to prospect may receive aid from the Government, and that this action on the part of the government will make prospecting extremely popular with ex-service men.

The Martha leaves today for Seattle with the following crew: George Northrop, master; Wallace Sinclair, chief engineer; Julius Mason, pilot; Emil Kimel, chief steward; E. J. LaBounty, deck hand. The Martha is owned by the Columbia & Northern Fishing & Packing company.

## Cassiar Will Have Boom the Coming Season

## Capt. G. W. Pendelton Will Take In Three Dredges for Operation on McDames Creek—George Adams Will Have in Operation on Tibet Creek the Largest Hy- draulic Proposition on the Continent.

Everything portends a boom in the Cassiar during the coming season.

The mere fact that well known, experienced and successful mining men are going into the Cassiar at this early date is sufficient evidence that there will be great activity in that region during the next six or eight months.

Captain George W. Pendelton, president of the Pendelton Gold Mining corporation, left Wrangell last Thursday morning for Telegraph Creek from which point he will go to McDames creek, a total distance of about 340 miles from Wrangell.

"Dickey" Davis of Wrangell accompanied Captain Pendelton up the river and will probably enter his employ as soon as the property is reached.

When the Princess Mary arrived in port Tuesday morning several of the old-timers noticed that Captain George W. Pendelton was among the through passengers. Conversation with him disclosed that he was en route to Telegraph Creek via Atlin. He was at once informed that there was no need of his going half way around the world to get to Telegraph Creek when the ice on the Stikine at the present time is as smooth as glass. He very much appreciated this information and lost no time in getting his baggage released.

Captain Pendelton brought two dogs and a sled with him. He managed to get another dog here, and no one has any doubt that he will reach his destination safely. He is no chechaco, having first come north as a navigator in 1873. He went into the Cassiar in 1906 and since then has spent considerable time in that region.

The Pendelton Gold Mining Corporation is incorporated under the laws of the State of Washington. The amount of the capital stock is \$500,000, all common, fully paid, non-assessable. After the opening of navigation on the Stikine three dredges will be shipped in, each having a capacity of 600 cubic yards every 24 hours. The dredges that have been contracted for are all of steel construction throughout. The manufacturers are under a \$15,000 bond for each dredge as a guarantee that it will meet the requirements. Captain Pendelton says the type of dredges he is going to use do their work with a thoroughness that is almost incredible. He states that it has been proven repeatedly by demonstration that one may mix 500 or more of the finest bird shot into any quantity of dirt and the dredge will separate the shot from the earth without a single one of the tiny shot getting away. No sluice boxes are required, the dredge being operated by compressed air and water jets.

Captain Pendelton has contracted with Sid Barrington of the Barrington Transportation company to take the dredges up

the river from Wrangell as soon as they reach here.

Captain Pendelton's purpose in going to the property so early in the season is in order to have a supply of cord wood on hand when the first dredge arrives. There is an excellent water power site only a short distance from his property and it is his intention to electrify the dredges as soon as practicable.

The property of the Pendelton Gold Mining corporation is located on McDames Creek about 175 miles from Telegraph Creek. Captain Pendelton is of the firm opinion that the property of his company contains rich deposits of gold which will not fail to yield an immense fortune.

In the following paragraphs we quote Captain Pendelton's own words regarding what he characterizes as "a vast natural reservoir of gold."

"Sweeping out of a canyon, cut for the most part through solid rock, McDames Creek runs for two miles through a level valley, perhaps 400 feet wide at the mouth of the canyon and 3000 feet at the lower end. On either side the hills rise abruptly, at some points in terrace, with first, second and third benches. In the benches are numerous streaks of pay dirt, varying in thickness from one inch to a foot or more, of a soft mixed nature.

"This, then, is the situation. Above the canyon, on either side, the hills with their streaks of gold-bearing earth. The level valley floor is the gravel and earth that has been washed from the hills on three sides.

"For millions of years the process of erosion has been going on, carrying the earth and gravel from the hills to the creek, and along with it the gold it contained. "The gold of countless centuries is all in the bottom of that valley—all but a comparatively few thousands of dollars' worth that has been taken out by prospectors. It is a natural sluice box, a reservoir of gold.

"With the knowledge of pay streaks in the hills, it would be easy to reason that this statement must be true, even if there were no concrete evidence to support the theory. But it has been proved beyond a shadow of doubt, by actual prospecting.

"Overlying the floor of the valley is from 12 to 14 feet of washed gravel, sand and small boulders, it has been demonstrated, carrying small values of gold.

"Underneath the gravel and sand there is a ruby sand of unknown depth. No one has yet sunk through it because of the water interfering with operations. But several different miners have reached it and always with the same result. It has invariably been found to carry coarse gold from \$5 to \$35 in value per cubic yard!

"One party of six some years ago sunk a hole about 100 feet up the creek from where the Pendelton Gold Mining corporation's pump is installed and with the use of a number of Chinese pumps uncovered about 20 square feet of this ruby sand, working in a foot of water. From this small space and under these difficulties they saved about six thousand dollars in dust and nuggets. Then the creek rose. It had been an unusually dry season and the water was low, which was the only reason they were able to work at all. When the rise came it washed out their equipment and filled the hole they had made, effectually blocking further operations.

"So much for the ruby sand. It is there. It has been proven to be sensationally rich in gold.

"Below it no one has ever gone. No one has ever reached bedrock. But bedrock is there, of course. And if the upper part of the ruby

sand runs from \$5 to \$35 per yard in gold, can you imagine what must be the extent of the wealth lying upon the bedrock itself? The deeper you go, the more gold, for gold, being the heaviest of minerals, seeks the bottom. It must be one of the richest deposits of gold ever known.

"With the existence of the gold thus proved, why has it not been taken out? Why have a paltry few thousands been the entire output of this marvelously rich sluice box of gold?

"Simply because one-man methods will not succeed. The pan and bucket and shovel are useless. The gold lies beneath the water level. The creek cannot be kept out. Man unaided is completely baffled by the obstacles nature has placed in his way to protect her treasure.

"And in the ruby sand and along the bedrock of the entire valley, as proved by every prospect hole that has been sunk, there are millions. It is a vast natural reservoir of gold."

George Adams who had made a big clean-up on Tibet Creek last season was aboard the Princess Mary Tuesday morning. He was en route to Atlin from which point he will go to his property. Mr. Adams is preparing for the operation on his property of four distinct hydraulic plants, each using two No. 6 Giants. These will make this the largest hydraulic proposition on the continent.

## Another Army Officer Writes Concerning Aerial Route to Alaska

The following letter was received this week from Lieut. Raynor Garey, superintendent of the Academy of Applied Aeronautics of Chicago:

January 28th, 1920.

Chamber of Commerce,  
Wrangell, Alaska.  
Gentlemen:

It is the writer's honor and pleasure to be cooperating with Washington officials in their plans for an aerial route from the United States to Alaska. It is believed it is entirely feasible to fly to Alaska with land planes along the coast without making landings on other than United States territory.

In order that all available information may be secured concerning landing places in your vicinity, it is requested that you furnish me all the data possible that would be of interest in planning an aerial route to Alaska.

It is realized that some of the information requested can be secured from Government maps, but it is believed a letter from you written from the standpoint of furthering the cause of aerial transportation between Alaska and the States would mean considerably more than data which the Government has collected with other purposes in view. It is the intention of the Washington officials to make an aerial trip to Alaska during the early spring months and it would be very much appreciated if a reply to this letter could be expedited.

The writer spent three years in Southeastern Alaska and realizes the wonderful transportation advantages which will be open to Alaska when aerial routes are established.

Having Alaska's interests at heart in this undertaking and looking for encouragement from her coastal cities, I am

Sincerely yours,  
Raynor Garey,  
Capt., A. S., Sig. R. C.

A few weeks ago a committee of citizens drafted a letter to Major Carl Spatz of the War Department setting forth Wrangell's advantages as a landing place for airplanes. A copy of this letter was mailed to Lieutenant Garey together with some additional data that has been accumulated since that time.

Nick Parsons will be taken to a hospital in Juneau next week for medical attention.



## CITY OF SEATTLE ARRIVED TODAY

Has More Than Twenty Passengers for Wrangell

SEATTLE—The City of Seattle sailed at 9 o'clock Monday night with the following passengers booked for Wrangell: Donald Sinclair, Wm. Berger, Benjamin Hulse, Mrs. S. M. Wyatt, Herbert Russell, V. F. Maloney, Mrs. M. Maloney, Miss Mary Maloney, M. D. Maloney, Mrs. Harriet Wessell, Wm. Bean, L. R. Moon, Jack Carey, Levi Paquette, Anna Peratovich, Mrs. G. H. Tozier, Winifred Tozier, Virginia Tozier, Irene Tozier, Sidney Tozier.

## Arctic Brotherhood Will Celebrate the 17th of Ireland

St. Patrick's Day will be duly celebrated in Wrangell this year with a social and dance by the Arctic Brotherhood. The affair will be in charge of the following committee: Thomas Dalgity, Henry Dannenberg, L. M. Churchill, M. O. Johnson and I. C. Bjorge.

## Big Game Hunters Will Bring Moving Picture Machines With Them

Dr. S. A. Hall, the veteran missionary of the North, contemplates an extended visit throughout Alaska this summer. He will have with him a number of wealthy hunters who are anxious to kill big game. He is also arranging to take a great number of movie films of Alaskan schools, hospitals, mining scenes, farms and railroads. He expects to reach Valdez about September 15. Dr. Hall will be 75 years old this fall but he is looking forward to this trip like a boy who has read a circus bill until he dreams of elephants and other huge quadrupeds.—Valdez Miner.

## Anderson Attends the Fishermen's Convention

J. L. Anderson is in Petersburg this week attending the fishermen's convention for Southeastern Alaska, which is being held for the purpose of setting a price and wage. Mr. Anderson went as a delegate from the local labor union.

## Parent-Teachers Association Meets Next Thursday Night

The next meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association will be held at the schoolhouse Thursday, March 11, at 8 p. m.

All adults are requested to be present. The program will be made up of a number of four minute speeches on subjects of importance to the school. Following is the program:

Community Singing, led by Mrs. W. W. McLaughlin.

Music in the Public Schools—Mrs. W. W. McLaughlin and Mrs. J. W. Pritchett.

Reading Course for Parents—Mrs. P. C. McCormack.

Visual Education—Mrs. I. C. Bjorge.

Pictures and Play—Mr. H. L. Rowley.

The Value of Play—Mr. G. C. Mitchell.

Improvement of the School Grounds—Mr. C. M. Coulter.

In recognition of eminent services "for the increase and diffusion of geographical knowledge," Prof. Robert F. Griggs of Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, who led five expeditions to Mount Katmai, Western Alaska via Seattle, has been awarded a life membership in the National Geographic Society, it was announced by the society's board of managers, Washington, D. C.

Miss Lorena Wigg, who was recently taken to a hospital in Seattle, is slowly recovering. Her mother, Mrs. Marcus Wigg, will leave for Seattle on the first boat south and accompany her daughter home as soon as the latter is able to travel.

## REGARDING NATURALIZATION DIFFICULTIES

Apparently No Remedy for the Difficulties Encountered by Applicants for Citizenship Under Present System.

Wrangell, Alaska  
Hon. R. W. Jennings, Judge  
1st District Federal Court,  
Juneau, Alaska

Sir:—I have been instructed by the Americans of Wrangell to address your Honorable Court upon the subject of naturalization here.

Under present conditions the applicant is compelled to make three trips to Juneau or Ketchikan, once to declare intentions, once with two witnesses to notify Clerk of intended completion of papers and once with two witnesses to complete citizenship.

Since expense of travel, subsistence and often wages of witnesses must be borne by the applicant, the total cost may reach four or five dollars. Being uninformed as to the immutability of these laws I would respectfully beg to be enlightened as to

1st. Whether deposition, certified by your representative here, the U. S. Commissioner, would suffice in declaration of intention; 2d. Whether deposition of witnesses and formal notice to Clerk of Court by applicant, both certified by Commissioner would suffice;

3rd. Whether similar deposition of witnesses could be produced by the applicant in his final appearance before Your Honor.

If the Statutes forbid any or all of these relief methods, would it be possible for the Honorable Court to set a date each year when our applicants might appear before Your Honor, enroute between Juneau and Ketchikan?

It will be apparent that the present expensive method acts as a severe deterrent in Americanizing our population.

THE AMERICANS.  
By E. A. Lindman, Secretary.

U. S. District Court,  
Juneau

February 9, 1920  
Mr E. A. Lindman, Secretary  
Wrangell, Alaska

Dear Sir:

Please pardon my delay in replying to your communication of January 14th, in which you ask certain questions as to the requirements in naturalization proceedings. You propound to me three inquiries the gist of all of which is whether or not the applicant is required to appear in person before the clerk of the Court at Juneau. I am compelled to answer all three questions in the affirmative. The law does not permit the declaration of intention or the declaration of witnesses to be made anywhere but before the clerk of the court himself.

I am sorry that this is so for I realize the great inconvenience which you mention, but nevertheless that is the law and cannot be evaded.

Yours etc.,  
Robert W. Jennings  
Judge.

The Sentinel is issued on Thursday this week as usual, but that would not have been possible had it not been for the fact that Wrangell has an up-to-date machine shop. Whenever anything goes wrong in our mechanical department the first person we think of is Mr. Gingrass. Wrangell could no more get along without the machine shop than it could without the hotel, bank or drug store.

A. B. Leonard was taken to the Arthur Yates Memorial hospital last night, suffering from a severe cold which, it was feared, would develop into pneumonia. This morning he was said to be much improved. — Ketchikan Chronicle.

Willie Jones, a member of the City Council of Bayview, left on the Princess Pat Friday for his home. He was returning from Juneau where he underwent a surgical operation by Dr. L. P. Dawes.

## WOULD REMOVE CERTAIN VOTING RESTRICTIONS

American Organization of Wrangell Passes Resolution Calling for Action by the Territorial Legislation.

Owing to the peculiar conditions existing in the North there are a large number of citizens who at every election, are deprived of their right of franchise on account of being away from the place where they registered.

This state of affairs should not exist. If a citizen who is registered in Wrangell should be working in the city of Craig at the time of election it seems that it would be only fair to permit him to vote at Craig.

At the last meeting of the American organization the Rev. H. P. Corser introduced a resolution recommending the passage of a bill by the Alaska legislature which would in a large measure overcome the present voting restrictions. The resolution, which was adopted, is as follows:

RESOLVED, That the Americans of Wrangell recommend to the legislature of Alaska the following bill, and ask that it or something similar be enacted, accomplishing the same purpose, and made a law of Alaska.

1. When a person on registering at such a place, and in such a manner as the law provides, shall say that he does not expect to vote in the precinct in which he registers, he shall so indicate it to the registrar, and shall receive from him an identification envelop on which he shall write his own name in full with the name and address of the registrar.

2. The aforesaid person may then vote in the following manner in any Alaska voting precinct:

He shall present his envelop to any judges of election who shall have him write his own name, the name of the registrar and his address.

They shall then satisfy themselves that his handwriting is the same as that in the envelop.

He shall then be given a lawful ballot, and shall vote the same in the way prescribed by law.

He shall enclose the ballot in the envelop, seal it and give it to the judges of election, who shall enclose the same in an envelop provided for same, and shall send it by mail to the registrar where the aforesaid voter shall have registered.

On receiving the same the registrar shall refer to his registry book, and on comparing the writing on the identification envelop with the registry book, shall satisfy himself that the writing on the envelop is by the same person as registered.

He shall then place the envelop in the regular ballot box.

The judges at a time not more than two weeks from a local election and not more than four weeks from a Territorial election shall meet and count the aforesaid ballots and add the results to the count that has already been made.

## St. Philip's Church

March 7, at 7:30 p. m.

10:15 a. m.—Holy communion with sermon.

11:30 a. m.—Bible school.

7:30 p. m.—Sermon subject: "The Apostles Came Down to Earth." The scenes of the transfiguration are the most thrilling of any in Gospel history. They give a little glimpse of the country beyond. They also tell us how closely the things of Heaven and the things of Earth are related. They also show that a man cannot help the Earth much unless he has considerable of Heaven in him.

Charles West, who was accidentally shot through the leg on November 9, went to Juneau the first of the week to have the cast removed by Dr. Dawes, the surgeon who attended him.

## Success and Failure.

The secret of real success is this: If you have lived such a life that you can say: "I have never done any man an injury." If you can say of your enemies: "I freely forgive them of the injuries they have done me, and pity them for having done so," and if you can rejoice in the fact that you are not like them; if you can sleep all night the sound sleep of a clear conscience, and rejoice in the knowledge that you possess a conscience; if you possess a tender heart that can move you to tears of sympathy for the stricken one and a nature given to lending of a helping hand to such stricken ones, and if, when you come to that time when "The cruel master death seals the eyes and steals thy breath," and can calmly face that moment without fear, with a full knowledge of a "well done" at the end, then you are a success, otherwise, no matter what your station in life may be you are a failure.

## Wireless Waves and Fire.

At first thought it seems highly improbable that any fire could be ascribed to the effect of wireless waves, though it is conceivable that, granted certain especially favorable conditions, the kindling of a spark between adjacent metal parts might have such effect. M. Le Roy, in a recent issue of the Comptes Rendus, describes experiments intended to test this point. He had met with several cases in which fires did appear to have been caused by wireless waves. Accordingly, he constructed an "inflammable resonator," by the aid of which he did succeed in setting fire to paper, cotton wadding and other substances. He thinks it possible that in certain conditions inflammable substances such as bales of cotton bound with hoop iron, could be set on fire by wireless means.—Dallas News.

## Origin of Family Names.

That the origin of family names can be readily traced is shown by a recent book published by an English scholar, in which he has successfully traced more than 6,000 names. He reaches the conclusion that fully half of them are based on occupation or locality. Thus, "Crook" more likely became the name of a man who lived near the bend of a river rather than a person of crooked body or morals. Also "Wilder" meant not a wild man, but one who lived in the wilderness. Such names as Bishop, Pope, Priest, Lord and other religious terms are derived from names that characters bore in the old church festivals and pageants. Long after the Norman conquest the baptismal name was, strictly speaking, the only true name.

## "And the Goose Hangs High."

The most popular explanation of the origin of the expression, "Everything is lovely and the goose hangs high," is this: That it comes from the southern country amusement known as "goose pulling." A goose, its neck carefully plucked and well greased, was hung by its feet to a branch of a tree. The men would ride past at a gallop, trying to catch it by the neck and pull its head off. The better the goose was in dodging the greater the fun. When the goose hung high, so that the competitors had to stand in their stirrups to grasp it, the joy was the greatest. Another suggested origin is that it refers to the fact that wild geese fly in clear weather; this explanation would change "hangs" to "honks."

## Eastern English.

A volume might be collected of innocent but barbarous perversions of the English language. The latest comes from the projectors of a new Siamese newspaper, who have distributed the following notice: "The news of English we tell the latest. Write in perfectly style and most earliest. Do a murder get commit, we hear of it and tell it. Do a mighty chief die, we publish it, and in borders of somber. Staff has each one been college and write like Kipling and the Dickens. We circle every town and extortionate not for advertisements. Buy it. Tell each of you its greatness for good. Ready on Friday, Number one."

## Lithuanian Courtships.

There are no June brides in Lithuania, for during that month the maid is too busy in her garden and the man in his fields. No time can be spared for courtship or marriage during the spring or summer or autumn. But in the winter, when the harvests are stored away and when the maidens have long evenings in which to sit by the fire and spin and weave their lovely linen and woolen cloths, singing all the while, the young men call their match-making friends and the short courtship takes place.

## His Solutions.

They were all crying at once, two girls and a boy. Mother was trying to mix her bread. "Eddie," she said to the little boy, "what would you do if you were poor mamma and had three crying babies and your work to do, too?" "Well," he said, judiciously, "if I was you I would frow bote the girls out the window and rock the boy to sleep."

## Hermits in Italy.

There are still hermits in Italy who live solitary lives in mountain caves, and they number no fewer than 900. Among these recluses there are sixteen who are over ninety-five years of age and three centenarians, while all the others have passed the age of fifty.

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## PROBLEMS FACING STRICKEN WORLD

Shall Chaos or Reconstruction in Europe Follow the Great World War?

NEW, GREAT FORCES AT WORK

Demand for New Order of Things is Universal and Reactionaries Merely Swell the Rising Tide of Discontent.

### Article IV.

By FRANK COMERFORD.

The most obvious thing in Europe is the changed attitude of the people, and yet there are many, particularly in the conservative, employing class, who refuse to see. There are none so blind as these. While they close their eyes and minds to the obvious, the change goes on. It is not idle rhetoric to say that new great forces are at work. Of course you cannot see the forces any more than you can see the grass growing, but you can see the effects. You can measure the character of the forces.

Everywhere I found people talking about a new Order. Men separated by hundreds of miles are thinking and talking the same ideas. It startled me to hear the same ideas up in the Balkans that I had heard in France and England. I did not meet any one who was able to give me a clear, complete meaning of the phrase, but it is on the lips of everyone. It has a meaning, and time will produce a plan. The people are forward looking—they are thinking, waiting for something to happen. They have faith that it will happen and that it will bring great good to the human race. Every one seems confident that some great compensation must and will come out of the siege of suffering through which they have passed. If they were not so earnest, so sane, so determined about it I should have interpreted their enthusiasm as fantasy.

A meaningless minority of reactionaries scorn and scoff at all talk of a new Order. These are the backward-looking men of big business, the stand-patters in politics. They are out of touch with the times; they think the real world is the little circle in which they live. They are the barnacles on big business. They smugly set down all talk of change as bolshevism. Fortunately the real leaders of business are breaking away from this point of view. Progressive, human and open minded, they see and know that unrest is a problem and that it must be solved. They are paying heed to the complaints of the workers. They admit that there is justice back of the complaints. Instead of arguing coercion, they are talking concession. They know a change has come, they want to meet it.

### New Order Must Come.

A new Order will come. The one question that is bothering the minds of men who are awake to the change is, will it come through revolution or through evolution. The greatest friend of revolution is the stubborn employer who refuses to see the change, accepts things as they are, and insists upon the use of force as the only cure for unrest.

Money is a gross thing when compared with human life. To mention Europe's financial losses in the same breath with her dead and wounded, seems sordid, but it is an everyday world and in it money has its logical place. Since the war some people are thinking that money has had too important a place in the world. It has been charged with pushing man out of his place, but bills must be paid and Europe needs money. The war cost billions and billions of dollars. Millions of men had to be clad and shod, billions and billions of cartridges and shells, rifles, cannons, airplanes, ships, were made. Europe owes the money. How will she pay it; where will she get it? It is a question that even the wisest and most optimistic of men in Europe hesitate to answer. Some wonder, is there an answer?

Europe has borrowed until her interest charge today is almost as large as her whole cost of governmental administration was a few years ago. I heard Lloyd George say that England faced a yearly interest charge of three hundred million pounds. Another official told me that this interest charge that England must pay each year is nearly one hundred million pounds a year larger than the cost of administration was at the time of the Boer war. Only the other day her interest was due on some loans from the United States and she was forced to default, and our government charged the interest to the principal and passed the day of payment on. In the meantime the pound is going down in value. When I was on the Continent it had reached \$4.14. Today it is under \$3.87, and steadily going down.

France is in even a worse plight. The banks are loaded with government paper. She has made no provision by taxation to pay her debt. I was told on every hand that any effort to impose a tax would bring on a revolution. It is said that her debt has reached the startling figure of \$640 for every man, woman and child in the country. When I left Cherbourg to sail for America a regulation had been put into effect prohibiting any one leaving France from taking money

with him, either metal or paper money. In excess of a thousand francs, and on that day you could buy almost nine francs for an American dollar. Can France pay? The figures prove France insolvent. Her officials and her men of prominence say she cannot pay. Her war debt is enormous.

### Poverty on Every Side.

Italy is as bankrupt as France. A forced loan temporarily held the lira from losing all of its value. Her war debt threatens the throne.

In the new Balkan countries we find no gold reserve, little but poverty. In Czechoslovakia the government closed the borders for ten days, commanded the people to bring their money to the banks where stamps were put on the bills. When they brought their money they were given 50 per cent of it back and receipts for the balance. In this way the government cut down the volume of paper money 50 per cent. Even after this was done in the city of Prague I bought kronens for less than two cents a piece.

In Poland every kind and species of paper money is in circulation. Her frontiers have not been fixed by the peace table, and the profiteers in money smuggling have dumped the worthless paper of Europe into Poland. In October I was in Warsaw and my recollection is that the mark was worth about two cents in American money. Poland has no metal money. She hasn't a gold reserve. Her struggle to get credit to keep her people from dying by the millions from hunger and cold is pitiful.

Austria is penniless, poverty-stricken. Vienna is a city of ghosts, listless, peopled, human beings. They drag their feet after them. Their heads are bent between their shoulders. The kronen was worth a cent when I was there in September, and even at that price there was practically nothing to buy. Austria in her extremity, her people starving, petitioned the peace table for the privilege of selling her art treasures and heirlooms. The plea was to exchange them for bread and coal. Necessity prompted the plea. The peace table refused the permission, holding that these things of value might be the only collateral out of which the allies could collect the indemnity.

Europe's debt is her crown of thorns, as her dead is her cross. Unrest is her Calvary. A new Order is her hope—her resurrection.

### Facing Gigantic Task.

Europe is not dying; she is exhausted, tortured, confused. She is trying to find herself. She is putting all of her remaining strength into the effort. The task before her is stupendous. She must rebuild her house. She must nurse her wounded, care for her cripples. She has counted her losses, inventoried her possessions.

The past must bury its dead. Tomorrow is for the living. Today she is planning for the tomorrow. She must repair her house, put it in order. To understand her work, to know her plans, to feel her problem, it is necessary to know her thoughts.

Unrest is frightening her. Fear is keeping her from work. It is causing her to worry. With all her soul she is pleading to the rich and powerful to become as little children again, her children. She is telling them that the fate of the family is at stake, that they must make concessions to their more unfortunate brothers. She is trying to make them understand that they are brothers. Many of them have forgotten the relationship. When she urges them to stop wrangling and quarreling she is pleading for their common good, the family welfare. She is warning against the danger of justice too long denied, of unrest too long pent up. She is translating the mutterings and mumblings of the discontented. She knows the complaint in their hearts, she sympathizes, she understands.

This was Europe as I saw her in her black rags arising from the war. (Copyright, 1920, Western Newspaper Union)

### Greatest American Humorist.

On the 30th of November, in 1835, Samuel Langhorne Clemens (Mark Twain) was born at Florida, Monroe county, Mo. Mark Twain first was a pilot on the Mississippi river. At the age of twenty-seven he began his literary career as city editor of a newspaper, the Enterprise, in Virginia City, Nev. He is the best known of American humorists, and his works have been widely translated. During his life-time Mark Twain lectured a great deal in this country and in Europe. He had a great charm of personality and was beloved by all who knew him. He died at Redding, Conn., April 21, 1910.

### Shoemakers' Wax a Liquid.

It is not always possible to draw a very clear line of demarcation between a liquid and a solid. Shoemaker's wax, which is so brittle that the fragmentation obtained when a sheet of it is hit by a bullet resembles that in the case of the very brittle metal antimony, is actually a liquid. To show this place leaden bullets upon a sheet of shoemaker's wax and then support the whole upon corks. At the end of a month the corks will be found floating upon the sheet of wax instead of beneath it and the bullets will be at the bottom as in a liquid.

### Largest Movie House.

New York has in building a moving picture theater with a seating capacity of 5,300, which may constitute it the largest of its kind anywhere. Judging by the heavy patronage in other such places, the new house may be filled at the chief performances. The public is seeking professional entertainment as never before.

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LARGE percentage of the big men of this big country come from small country towns. Most of the REAL BIG MEN never forget their boyhood days when they went to the SMALL COUNTRY CHURCH. The simple lessons that were taught there have GUIDED THEM THROUGH LIFE. Their lives have been clean. Clean living made for their success.

When the GO TO CHURCH campaign was launched these men took a commendable interest in it. By attending church they set a SPLENDID EXAMPLE to the careless and indifferent. When a real big man GOES TO CHURCH the result is MORE POWERFUL THAN A DOZEN SERMONS. Clear thinking people are quick to see that there is something REALLY WORTH WHILE AND SUBLIME in the church.

THE COUNTRY CHURCH LAID THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LATER SUCCESS IN LIFE. READ THE LIVES OF THE GREAT MEN OF THE COUNTRY. THEY TAKE PRIDE IN RECALLING THEIR EARLY RELIGIOUS TRAINING—THE FINE IDEAS THAT WERE INCULCATED WHEN THEY WERE YOUNG. SURELY THEY PUT TO SHAME SOME OF THE SCOFFERS AT RELIGION AMONG THE FLIPPANT YOUTHS OF THIS MATERIAL AGE. YOU CAN COUNT ON YOUR FINGERS THE NUMBER OF SUCCESSFUL MEN WHO DO NOT GO TO CHURCH.

The plea of some who have fallen away from the church is that they are TOO BUSY to attend church. Yet men whose time is WORTH \$100 OR MORE AN HOUR do not begrudge an hour or more for God on the Sabbath.

No man is too busy to attend church. If he is successful he should GO TO CHURCH to thank God for his success. If he is struggling he should ask God's help.

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## REFLECTED GLORY

By MILDRED WHITE.

The man in the business suit came into the brilliantly lighted room. And stood staring nervously about. Far back in a screened corner he espied Abbie Ann, and the perplexed frown faded from his face.

"Where is everybody?" he asked in a friendly tone.

Abbie Ann sighed relievedly. Here at last was some one to whom she might speak without a shiver of awe.

Abbie Ann was vastly proud of her gifted family, their achievement was her joy, but she was weary of the ever anticipated question:

"Dorier?" the one presented would murmur. "Can it be possible that you are related to Eloise Dorier the artist?" Or perhaps it would be—"Josephine Dorier the musician?"

When Abbie replied that she was a sister the fact never failed to draw an astonished glance in her direction.

Abbie Ann wondered wistfully what a real home might be—with a comfortably contented family gathered all at one time about the table. Her sisters were so seldom together. Abbie Ann had not even the consolation of home making; a housekeeper attended to that. So she spent much of her time in the old garden, dreaming of things which she might do under other circumstances—of the good she might accomplish for others, if opportunity were hers; there seemed to be little here that she could do for even herself.

Her face brightened as the imposing man entered the big, deserted room; she had been tongue-tied before the irreproachable evening dress of the socially prominent. This man, smilingly ill at ease, seemed some way or other to be in her own predicament.

"You are a guest, are you not?" he asked abruptly.

Abbie Ann blushed at his appraising glance toward her simple white frock, and nodded.

"You don't care to dance?" He regarded her curiously.

Abbie Ann shook her head.

"So few people want me for a partner," she confessed, "that I'd rather not force them to ask me."

The man grinned; it was a good-natured grin. He drew forth a chair and seated himself at her side.

"My name is Perkins," he announced.

Abbie Ann bowed. Instinctively she liked this big, plain man with the humorous eyes.

"Mine is Dorier," she responded, and expectantly awaited his question.

"Not," he began—

"Yes," she said, "I am related to Eloise and Josephine, I'm their sister, and I neither paint nor play."

It was the man's turn to interrupt.

"All right," he said, "glad to hear it. Then I shan't be called upon to listen while you perform, or compliment a painting which I don't in the least understand."

For a moment of understanding sympathy the two looked into each other's eyes and laughed.

"You mustn't think that I don't appreciate my sisters," Abbie Ann hastened to add. "It's just because I'm such a nonentity myself that I despise comparison. The only reason that people bear with me at all is because I'm in the family."

"Reflected glory!" laughed the man, "and have you no special desire in your own direction?"

"I'd love," she said, "to have lots and lots of money to spend."

"Well," he thoughtfully reflected, "the wise expenditure of money is an art in itself. Now, suppose," he leaned toward her amusedly, "you were possessed of lots of money; how would you dispose of it?"

Abbie Ann spoke eagerly, shyness and constraint forgotten.

"I'd build a home for poor convalescents," she said, "those you know who must leave hospitals and have no money for further care. And I'd have a big country summer place for ailing children of the poor, and—Oh—there are so many splendid things that one might do with money."

"Mr. Perkins!" laughingly called the hostess. "Why did you not announce your presence? As a guest of honor your behavior is inexcusable."

The big man arose.

"Apologies!" he said. "I came here direct from the station, my train being delayed. I did not wish to break in on your frivolities."

Confusedly, Abbie Ann retired to her corner. The proud hostess drew forth the noted Josephine and Eloise for presentation. Eloise sought her out later.

"How in the world?" she asked, "did you become acquainted with Tyron Perkins, the multi-millionaire?"

Abbie Ann's eyes widened.

"You don't mean," she asked incredulously, "that this Mr. Perkins is the millionaire you and Josephine have been so excited over meeting?"

Tyron Perkins himself was beckoning her from the doorway.

"When they dance again," he said, "let's talk things over."

Like a conspirator Abbie Ann nodded back at him.

"I want to hear more concerning your views on the art of spending money," he explained.

"Just dreams!" she murmured regretfully. But the big man smiled.

"Some dreams come true," he reminded.

Again she liked the humorous light in his eyes. But as she stood looking up at him, the humor changed to tenderness.

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## BREEZY BUBBLES

The girls of the period dot the landscape o'er.

A speaking likeness is supposed to have a telling effect.

Many are called, but few choose to get up till they're called down.

The stout detective probably would not be recognized in a thin disguise.

They do not always succeed in getting agreeable men to serve on a jury.

"My eye!" exclaimed the needle, "why do they always say, 'as neat as a pin'?"

Some people seem to regard a silver anniversary as a golden opportunity to get presents.

Mirrors were invented to show that lots of persons were put in this world for a vain purpose.

## THE DAILY GRIND

If men were less stupid women would have to be more clever.

Men and roosters sometimes lose their heads by crowing too soon.

You can bottle up the truth for a time, but it eventually pops the cork.

A washout on a railway line is one thing; it is quite another on a clothesline.

You may succeed in convincing a man against his will; but what's the use?

The only man who dares to give the star actor any back talk is the prompter.

Many men would get along better on the journey of life if they did not consult so many contradictory guide books.

## PITH AND POINT

A safe blower doesn't blow about it later.

It's better to believe all you say than half you hear.

Just the same, some homely people are awfully thick skinned.

There are times when a runner finds it difficult to square himself.

The average man believes in future punishment—for his neighbor.

It is better to be everything to somebody than something to everybody.

A girl never likes to see a young man she admires squander his money—on another girl.

Our idea of a smart salesman is one who can sell a fountain pen to a man who can't write.

There is something wrong with the woman who says there isn't a spark of jealousy in her makeup.

## AS THE WORLD MOVES

Talent is one thing; tact is everything.

How eloquent is the silent lady on a silver dollar.

Once in a while an actress makes good for her press agent.

There is always hope for a man until he loses his self-respect.

It is easy for a man to manage his wife. All he has to do is to follow her instructions.

The man who borrows may not be able to wear better clothes than the man who lends—but he usually does, just the same.

## THINGS TO REMEMBER

The average weight of the circulating blood in the human body is 28 pounds.

India rubber nails, for use in places where ordinary nails are liable to corrosion, are a German novelty.

The pearl is the only gem that does not require the lapidary's art to bring out its beauty.

The people of India speak about 150 different languages, and are divided into 33 distinct nationalities.

Brazilian government will manufacture quinine and distribute it through malarial sections of the country.

On water alone a horse can live 25 days, but he will last only five days eating solid food without drinking.

The rainbow trout of Australia grow to so large a size that it is illegal to take a fish under 10 inches in length.

Myron Hartley, who was graduated recently from the Waukon (Iowa) high school, was never absent or tardy once at school during 13 years.

## Guild Elects Officers

At the annual election of officers for St. Philip's Guild the following were elected:

Mrs. M. O. Johnson, president, Mrs. F. H. Gold, vice president, Mrs. W. W. McLaughlin, secretary, Mrs. Oscar Carlson, treasurer.

Committees for three months were appointed as follows:

Sewing, Mesdames McLaughlin, Shurick, Hiltz; building, Mesdames Carlson, J. G. Grant and Gold.

The Guild have plans under way for an addition to St. Philip's Gymnasium which will include a sewing room for the Guild with a kitchen adjoining and improvements in the Gymnasium.

Ensign and Mrs. Carruthers were hosts at a noon-day dinner last Thursday. The following elderly friends enjoyed their hospitality. Mesdames Jennie Taltan, Jennie Thomas, Mary Shakes, Baronovich, Koonck, Lynch, Louisa Jackson.

Charles Jones and family have returned from a three months' visit to Sitka.

## NOTICE

All Moose are urged to be present at the regular meeting, Friday night, March 5. Election of officers.

J. W. Pritchett,  
Secretary.

## Notice

There will be a special meeting of the Arctic Brotherhood, Wednesday evening, March 10. All members are requested to attend. L. M. Churchill, Arctic Recorder.

The Redmen's lodge will give their last social of the winter season on the evening of Tuesday, March 23. The following committee will have charge of the affair: W. Sornberger, Judge Wm. G. Thomas, and Loyal John Binkley.

Lynn W. Miller, formerly publisher of the Petersburg Report, is a passenger to Juneau on the City of Seattle. Mr. Miller will be connected with the Juneau Capital.

Louis Lloyd Rinehart, aged 4 years, passed away yesterday afternoon after a severe illness. The funeral occurred this afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Rinehart have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement.

The paper pulp industry promises to be one of the big enterprises of the Territory in the near future.

## Notice of Primary Election

To the electors of the Town of Wrangell, Division No. One, Territory of Alaska:

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Chapter 39, Session Laws of Alaska, 1919, approved May 3, 1919, a primary election will be held on Tuesday, April 27, 1920, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 7 o'clock p. m. of said day.

The common council of Wrangell having heretofore, by ordinance, duly designated the voting precincts of said town and the polling place in each thereof, the electors are hereby notified:

That all duly qualified voters residing within the boundaries of voting precinct No. One, of said town of Wrangell which are as follows: All of the incorporated Town of Wrangell, Alaska, will vote at the Town Hall Bldg., located on Church street, in and upon lot 18 of block 3, which is owned by the Town of Wrangell, the same being the duly designated polling place in and for precinct No. One, Town of Wrangell.

Dated this 4th day of March, 1920.

(Signed)

The Common Council of the Town of Wrangell.

By J. Worden, Clerk.

## Of Interest to Trappers

The finest collection of furs that have been seen in Wrangell this season were brought in by G. H. Tozier who returned the first of the week from a trip to the trapping grounds of the Shangles on the Iskut. All the furs purchased by Mr. Tozier were bought on the Canadian side.

Charlie Olsen came in from his trap lines the first of the week bringing in 30 mink.

Lloyd Rinehart who has been trapping near Old Town reports having caught 53 mink and two otter.

Louis F. Paul and George Northrop came in from their trap lines the first of the week with nice catch of mink.

William H. Bitters and Jack Kelley came in from their trap lines the first of the week. They brought in 34 mink and two otter which they disposed of in Wrangell.

Walter Waters brought in a fine collection of furs which he had bought at various points between Wrangell and Sulzer.

Alvin Goldstein of the big Goldstein Emporium at Juneau, is in the Interior on a fur buying trip.

Wild game furnishes the greater source of Dawson's meat supply, according to the Dawson News. The News says without moose and caribou Yukon Territory would be unable to subsist and carry on its gold and silver mining. This is said to be true with many of the settlements on the American side in the whole interior of Alaska where practically the only meat that is eaten is game.

Natives and whites engaged in trapping in the Rubv district are catching a large quantity of mink. These are reported to be more numerous this season than in any year previous to this.

Vincent D. Lamsell, Alaska trapper in Seattle claims to have made \$27,000 during the past season.

Fred Kiel, a Totalinka fox farmer, recently sold several fox skins to a New York house, the minimum price on the three-quarters black pelts being \$1000 and \$100 for the cross. The foxes were raised on his farm and were killed this winter.

Two fox farming companies with farms at the outskirts of Dawson report prosperous seasons this year in their line. The companies are the Northern Fox Ranch, Limited, with a ranch at West Dawson, and the Yukon Silver Black Fox, Ltd. with a ranch at Swede Creek.

Mrs. N. Yaeger, proprietor of the famous roadhouse at Sourdough on the Valdez-Fairbanks trail has returned from the east and is now visiting in Seattle. While in the east she disposed of a large number of valuable furs for which she received top prices.

Reindeer are selling at Nome three for \$100. Many people are taking advantage of the rate to enter the industry. The reindeer offered at this price are in the hands of Laplanders. The Natives are not selling.—Ketchikan Times.

Editor Edward Doty of the Tuscaloosa News of Alabama will come to Alaska this summer to write a series of articles for the Associated Press.

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